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SUBJECT: CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ON NARCOTICS

1. TURKISH DCM NURES DURING CALL

AT DEPARTMENT FEBRUARY 10, RAISED MATTER OF IDENTICAL CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS SUBMITTED BY CONGRESSMEN DELANEY AND ROE STATING THAT TURKISH-GROWN OPIUM WAS ENTERING ILLICIT CHANNELS AND REQUESTING THAT "THE PRESIDENT SUSPEND ALL FOREIGN ASSISTANCE TO THE GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY UNTIL SUCH GOVERNMENT IMPLEMENTS ADEQUATE CONTROLS TO PREVENT NARCOTIC DRUGS PRODUCED OR PROCESSED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, IN TURKEY FROM ENTERING THE UNITED STATES, PURSUANT TO SECTION 2291 OF TITLE 22, UNITED STATES CODE." RESOLUTIONS ARE DATED JANUARY 4 AND 19, 1977, RESPECTIVELY.

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- 2. NURES STATED THAT STATEMENTS IN RESOLUTIONS WERE INACCURATE. HE PROVIDED COPIES OF LETTERS FROM TURKISH AMBASSADOR ESENBEL TO DELANEY AND ROE REFUTING ALLEGATIONS.
- 3. DEPTOFF TOOK NOTE OF NURES PRESENTATION. HE POINTED OUT CONGRESS OFTEN ASKS DEPARTMENT TO COMMENT ON BILLS WITH FOREIGN POLICY IMPLICATIONS BUT THAT MANY, AFTER BEING

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE, ARE NOT ACTED UPON.

4. COPIES OF RESOLUTION AND ESENBEL'S LETTER ARE BEING POUCHED TO ANKARA. VANCE

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